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IN THE CLAIMS

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Claims 1 – 20 (cancelled)

21. (Currently amended) A packaged supply of individual doses of a personal care product comprising:

- a) a tray;
 - b) a plurality of substantially identical packets uniformly stacked in a non-staggered arrangement in the tray, each packet for holding a single dose of the personal care product ~~and that is in a film dosage form~~ each packet having:
 - i.) a first portion attached to the tray; and
 - ii.) a second portion releasably attached to the first portion;
 - ~~c) — a retention means for releasably holding the stacked packets in the tray;~~
- and
- ~~dc)~~ a cover that is movably connected to the tray, the cover being movable between a closed position in which the stack of packets is enclosed within the tray and an open position in which the ~~pouch~~ second portion of the topmost packet on the stack is sufficiently exposed that the second portion its front edge can be gripped, allowing the second pouch portion to be pulled away from the first tab portion to which it is connected, thereby removingreleasing that secondpouch portion with the product from the tray.

22. (Currently amended) A packaged supply of individual doses of a personal care product comprising:

- a) ~~a tray;~~
 - a) — a plurality of substantially identical packets uniformly stacked in a non-staggered arrangement in the tray, each packet for holding a single dose of the personal care product ~~that is in a film dosage form~~ and each packet having:
 - i.) a first portion attached to the tray; and
 - ii.) a second portion releasably attached to the first portion such that the attachment between the first and second portions is weaker than the attachment between the first portion and the tray; and
 - ~~b) — a retention means for releasably holding the stacked packets in the tray;~~
- wherein the topmost packet of the stack is sufficiently exposed in the tray that its

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~~front edge the second portion~~ can be gripped, allowing the ~~pouch second~~ portion to be pulled away from the ~~first tab portion to which it is connected~~, thereby ~~removing releasing that pouch second portion with the product from the tray stack~~.

23. (Currently presented) The packaged supply of Claim 22, wherein each packet is comprised of two flexible sheets that are partially laminated together so as to define a closed pocket between the sheets, in which pocket ~~at the dose of a personal care product~~ is held.

Claims 24-30 were previously cancelled without prejudice.

31. (Currently amended) The packaged supply of Claim 23, wherein each packet sheet comprises a boundary zone between the first and second portions and is comprised of material that more easily tears in the direction of ~~the~~ boundary zone than in directions perpendicular thereto and comprises material selected from the group consisting of oriented film and striated film.

32. (Currently amended) The packaged supply of Claim 22, further comprising a dose of a personal care product wherein the personal care product comprises a water-soluble film that contains a pharmaceutically active substance.

33. (Previously presented) The packaged supply of Claim 22, further comprising a container to receive the stack.

34. (Previously presented) The packaged supply of Claim 33, wherein the container further comprises:

two ends;

a fixed cover that covers one container end and has a free edge that is intermediate the two ends of the container

a movable cover that is hingedly connected to the container so that, when the movable cover is in a closed position, an edge of the movable cover rests against the free edge of the fixed cover; and latch means for releasably holding the movable cover in the closed position.

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